IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

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Examiner: WEBMAN, Edward J.

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EXPANDABLE FOAM-LIKE BIOMATERIALS AND METHODS Title:

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**Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.** 

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting \$500.00 (1401)/\$250.00 (2401) \$ 500.00 applicant's claim(s).

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